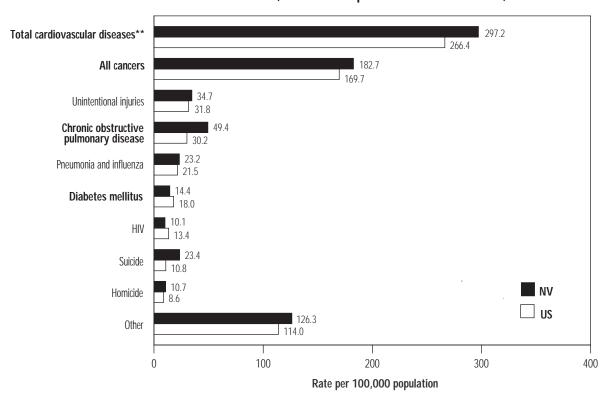
## Nevada: Most Common Causes of Death

- Total cardiovascular diseases (principally ischemic heart disease and stroke) are the most common cause of death in Nevada, all cancers are the second most common cause, chronic obstructive pulmonary disease is third, and diabetes is seventh.
- In 1995, 70% of all deaths in Nevada were due to the four most common chronic disease causes of death.
- The death rates for total cardiovascular diseases, all cancers, and chronic obstructive pulmonary disease were higher in Nevada than in the United States; the death rate for diabetes was lower.

### Causes of Death, Nevada Compared With United States, 1995\*



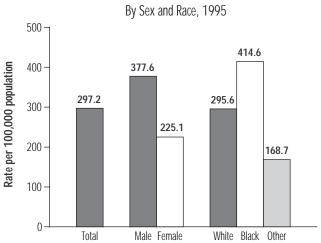
<sup>\*</sup>All data are age adjusted, 1970 total U.S. population.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Total cardiovascular disease death rates include rates of death due to ischemic heart disease (115.0 per 100,000 in Nevada and 135.2 per 100,000 in the United States) and rates of death due to stroke (44.3 per 100,000 in Nevada and 42.5 per 100,000 in the United States).

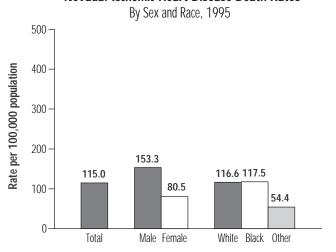
## **Nevada:** Cardiovascular Diseases

- Total cardiovascular diseases are the most common cause of death in Nevada, accounting for 39% of all deaths.
- Ischemic heart disease accounted for 39% of all cardiovascular disease deaths in Nevada in 1995; 1,848 people in Nevada died of ischemic heart disease.
- In 1995, 709 people in Nevada died of stroke.

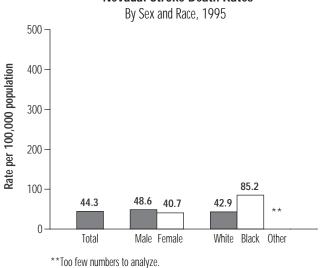
### Nevada: Total Cardiovascular Disease Death Rates



#### Nevada: Ischemic Heart Disease Death Rates



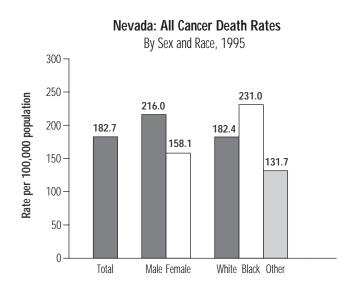
#### Nevada: Stroke Death Rates

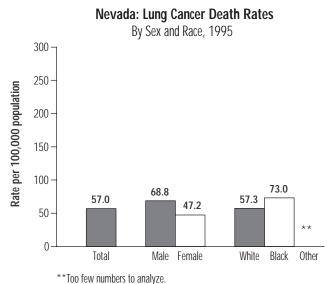


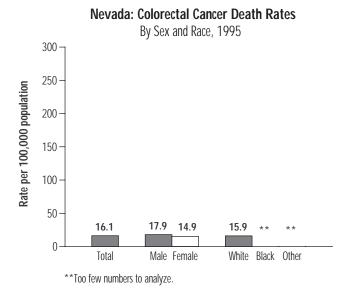
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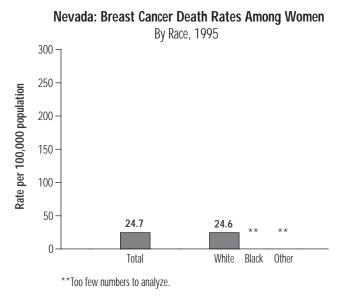
### Nevada: Cancer

- Cancer accounted for 24% of all deaths in Nevada in 1995;
  2,976 people in Nevada died of cancer.
- In Nevada in 1995, 929 people died of lung cancer, 263 people died of colorectal cancer, and 211 women died of breast cancer.
- The American Cancer Society estimates that 1,200 new cases of lung cancer, 730 new cases of colorectal cancer, and 1,100 new cases of breast cancer will be diagnosed in Nevada in 1997.







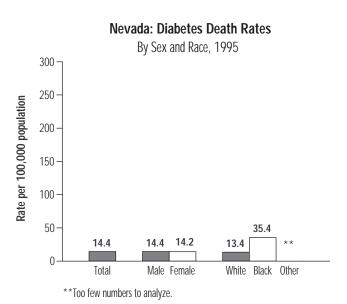


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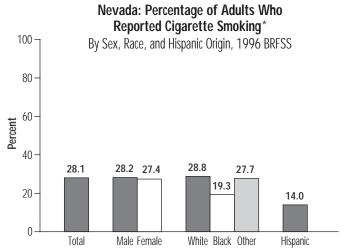
# Nevada: Diabetes

- In 1994, 41,655 adults in Nevada had diagnosed diabetes.
- Diabetes was the underlying cause of 235 deaths in Nevada in 1995.
- In 1993, diabetes was the most common contributing cause of 69 new cases of end-stage kidney disease in Nevada.
- Diabetes is believed to be underreported on death certificates, both as a condition and as a cause of death.

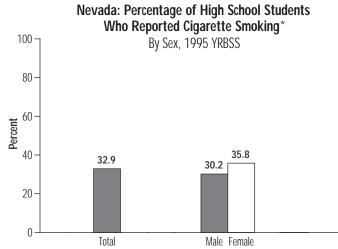


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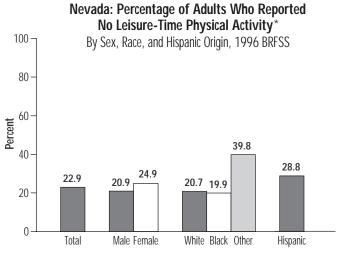
## Nevada: Risk Factors



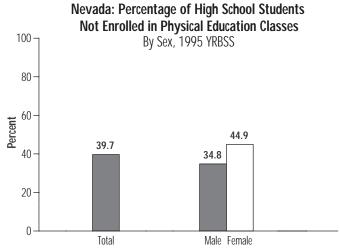
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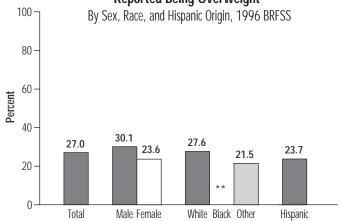
\*Smoked cigarettes on 1 or more of the 30 days preceding the survey.



\*No exercise, recreation, or physical activity (other than regular job duties) during the previous month.



### Nevada: Percentage of Adults Who Reported Being Overweight\*



\*Body mass index  $\geq$  27.8 kg/m<sup>2</sup> for men and  $\geq$  27.3 kg/m<sup>2</sup> for women.

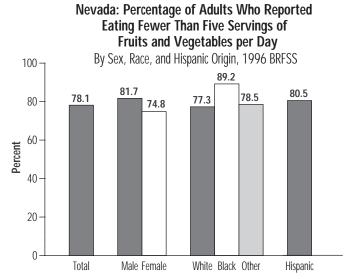
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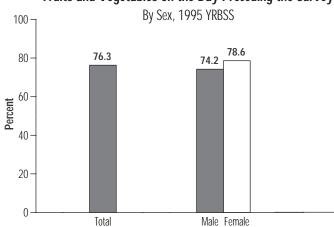
### Nevada

Chronic Diseases and Their Risk Factors

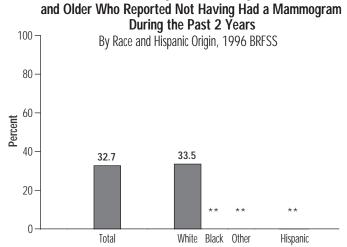
## Nevada: Risk Factors



Nevada: Percentage of High School Students Who Reported Eating Fewer Than Five Servings of Fruits and Vegetables on the Day Preceding the Survey



### **Nevada:** Preventive Services



Nevada: Percentage of Women Aged 50 Years

### Nevada: Percentage of Adults Aged 18-64 Years Who Reported Having No Health Insurance By Sex, Race, and Hispanic Origin, 1996 BRFSS 100 80 60 40 29.7 25.0 20.4 20.0 18.3 20 0 Total Male Female White Black Other Hispanic \*\*Too few numbers to analyze.

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